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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: METHOD FOR AUTOMATIC BALANCING OF MAIL PROCESSING ACCOUNTS  
FOR AN INSERTER SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

27 pages comprising the specification, claims, and abstract.

12 sheets of drawings.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney.


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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10, I hereby certify that the attached Specification ( 27 pages), Drawings (12 pages), Transmittal Letter, Return Receipt Post Card, Declaration and Power of Attorney was deposited with the U.S. Postal Service for delivery by Express Mail on October 24, 2003. The number of the Express Mail mailing label is EU475555662US.

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